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SUBJ: PREQUALIFICATION OF FIRMS TO SUBMIT BIDS TO
DEVELOP NEW PHOSPHATE MINE

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5. GOVERNMENT OF TUNISIA: " COMPAGNIE DES PHOSPHATES
ET DU CHEMIN DE FER DE GAFSA" HAS INVITED FIRMS
TO SUBMIT APPLICATION TO QUALIFY TO PARTICIPATE IN BID TO
SUPPLY EQUIPMENT AND UNDERTAKE NECESSARY ENGINEERING
CONSTRUCTION TO ESTABLISH NEW UNDERGROUND PHOSPHATE MINE
AT SEHIB IN SOUTHERN TUNISIA. PROJECT IS BEING FINANCED
IN PART BY \$23.3 MILLION LOAN FROM WORLD BANK (IBRD).

6. COMPAGNIE DES PHOSPHATES ET DU CHEMIN DE FER DE
GAFSA, 9 RUE DU ROYAUME DE L'ARABIE SEOUDITE, TUNIS.

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7. NONE

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9. PROJECT INVOLVES: (A) THREE MECHANIZED STONE CUTTING MACHINES WITH A CAPACITY OF 2000 METRIC TONS/DAY EACH WITH ROCK CRUSHER AND MOVABLE GALLERY SUPPORT: (B) MACHINERY TO OPEN ORE SEAMS: (C) 16 KM OF CONVEYOR BELT AND RELATED EQUIPMENT (INCLUDING SCREENS AND EARTH LOADERS) TO TRANSPORT ROCK IN MINE AND ON SURFACE: (D) CONSTRUCTION OF STORAGE AREA FOR 100,000 MT OF ROCK, INCLUDING CONVEYORS, STACKERS, MOVABLE FEED-HOPPERS WITH LOADERS, ETC: (E) MACHINERY TO TRANSPORT ORE IN TREATMENT AREA INCLUDING CONVEYORS, SILOS AND CRUSHING/SCREENING UNITS: (F) EQUIPMENT TO WASH AND FILTER ENRICHED PHOSPHATE, DECANT MUD AND RECOVER WATER: (G) PHOSPHATE DRYER, INCLUDING FACILITIES TO STORE AND PREPARE REQUIRED LIQUID FUEL: (H) EQUIPMENT TO LOAD RAIL CARS: (I) POWER DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES FOR 30 KV SOURCE, INCLUDING TRANSFORMER STATION, REPAIR YARD, POWER INSTALLATIONS, GROUNDING AND LIGHTING SYSTEM: (J) LARGE VARIETY OF EARTH MOVING EQUIPMENT AND OTHER VEHICLES FOR USE IN MINE AND ON SURFACE (INCLUDING WHEEL LOADERS, TRUCKS, PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT TRANSPORT TRUCKS, TRUCK-MOUNTED REPAIR SHOPS, TANK-TRUCKS, CRANES, CARS AND ROAD VEHICLES) (K) CONSTRUCTION OF INDUSTRIAL ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDINGS: (L) CIVIL ENGINEERING: (M) EXCAVATION AND SITE PREPARATION (N) MACHINE TOOLS TO MAINTAIN EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING BOILERS, VARIOUS MACHINERY, ELECTRICAL SYSTEM AND HYDRAULIC WORKS: (O) CONSTRUCTION OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM ABOUT 35 KMS IN LENGTH AND WITH A CAPACITY OF 120 LITERS PER SECOND.

(ABOVE IS ROUGH TRANSLATION FROM FRENCH TEXT OF INVITATION TO PREQUALIFY).

INTERESTED BIDDERS CAN REQUEST TO PREQUALIFY FOR ALL OR PART OF ABOVE ELEMENTS OF PROJECT AND SHOULD SPECIFY IN THEIR APPLICATIONS THE ELEMENTS OF PROJECT FOR WHICH THEY WISH TO RECEIVE BID DOCUMENTS. APPLICATIONS TO PREQUALIFY SHOULD INCLUDE, AMONG OTHER ITEMS:

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(A) LIST OF EQUIPMENT THEY CAN SUPPLY: (B) PERIOD OF DELIVERY: (C) PROPOSED AFTER-SALE SERVICE AND SPARE PARTS SUPPLY IN TUNISIA: (D) DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE THEY CAN PROVIDE TO INSTALL EQUIPMENT AND TRAIN PERSONNEL IN ITS USE: (E) ANTICIPATED COSTS ON QUARTERLY BASIS FOR 1975 AND 1976: (F) COPY OF THEIR LAST ANNUAL REPORT: AND (G) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF WEEKS REQUIRED FOR PREPARATION OF THEIR PROPOSALS.

WITTEN PRESELECTION REQUESTS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:
MONSIEUR LE DIRECTEUR DES ETUDES ET DU DEVELOPPEMENT,
COMPAGNIE DES PHOSPHATES ET DU CHEMIN DE FER DE GAFSA,
9 RUE DU ROYAUME DE L'ARABIE SAOUDITE, TUNIS.
COPY OF ANY CORRESPONDENCE PERTAINING TO THE BID SHOULD
BE MAILED TO: HEURTEY-INDUSTRIE, B.P. 323, 75823-PARIS-
CEDEX 17. HEURTEY IS ACTING AS CONSULTANT AND SUPERVISING
ENGINEERS FOR PROJECT. ALL CORRESPONDENCE, EITHER IN
FRENCH OR IN ENGLISH, SHOULD BE MAILED TO ARRIVE WITHIN ABOVE ADDRESSES
ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 15, 1974.
TEN COPIES OF LETTER IN FRENCH INVITING FIRMS TO PREQUALIFY
BEING REQUESTED. INFO ADDRESSES ASKED TO INFORM
INTERESTED US FIRMS IN THEIR AREA.

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